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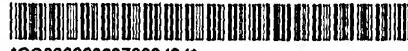
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Applicant(s): Kilian PEETZ, Angelika FROEHLICH and August MUEHLRATZER

Application No.: 10/053,211 Group: 1762

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COMPLETION OF APPLICATION

Sir:

Applicant submits herewith the following in order to complete the above application:

- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- Verified English Translation;
- Drawing(s) Figs. / 1 sheet(s);
- Applicant is entitled to claim Small Entity Status [See 37 CFR 1.27];
- German Priority Document(s) No(s). 101 01 546.1 filed January 15, 2001, the priority(ies) of which is(are) claimed under 35 USC 119;
- Other:
- Formalities Letter dated March 21, 2002 (as required);
- Check in the amount of \$ 130.00
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees required with this submission to Deposit Account No: 50-1529.

With the filing of these documents, it is submitted that the application is now complete and in form for examination. Accordingly, such examination and favorable action are earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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